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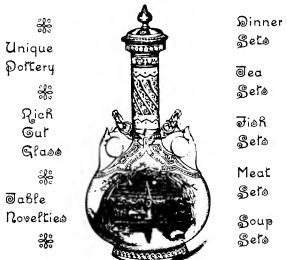


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The other parishes in the city now began to inquire about it, and they expressed a desire to take part. The head of the diocese was cold. He thought it too small a thing. Several rectors, however, having agreed to co-operate, a charter was procured from the Legislature, quite liberal

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in its exemption from taxation, and embracing in the government of the house all the city parishes. Just at this time a courtesan who owned a fine brick house two blocks above the hospital, where she carried on her infamous traffic, died, and the property passed into the hands of others. No respectable people would take it. It was offered to the hospital at a comparatively low rent. It would accommodate about eighteen patients. People said, "Stay where you are. You will never get the money," Their advice was not taken. The little baby hospital grew into quite a child within a week, and it found all its beds full the day it was ready to open, and many waiting to come in. The great trouble so far had not been money, but matrons. It seemed as if the right person could not be found. There were no sisterhoods in those days to whom an appeal could be made for a competent head. The founders prayed hard for a matron, and took in a new one every month or so. At last God sent the right one. She fitted it exactly. Money now began to be harder to get. The hospital was no longer a new toy. There were other charities starting up, one or two hospitals among the number. Things often looked bad for the little enterprise. Debts accumulated. One day a creditor gave the president some pretty hard words about not paying debts, and he was walking away from the hospital with the thought, "It is no use; we will have to give up," when he met the postman, who handed him a letter containing a check for \$50, and these words: "My husband died last night, and just before his death he requested me to send this money to St. Luke's." This was like wine to a fainting soldier. The president felt that God was indeed with him. He has had many similar experiences, and if any doubt the efficacy of prayer, they had better come and ask him and some of those who founded the hospital with him. They have about as much doubt of it as of the reality of their own existences. One day a gentleman came to the president and said, "A large building, meant for a workmen's boarding-house, has just come into my hands. It is unfinished; but if you think it will do for St. Luke's I will give \$2,000; and, what is more, I and one or two others will collect all the money to tinish it, and we can get a lease of the ground with the privilege of buying when we can raise the money." The house was in a very mean part of the town large, noisy railroad shops just opposite it; but it was very near a large lake, and could get plenty of fresh air, and, what was more, it gave a chance to grow. Not the best chance, not the ideal place for a hospital, and anything but the ideal building; but it could be procured, and from eighteen beds there could be an advance to forty-four. Almost everybody said, "No: Wait; you will make a mistake." Again their advice was not taken. The proposition of the gentleman was accepted. The house was bought, and finished as could best be done for hospital purposes. Some friends gave fairs, and festivals, and theatricals, and all those wicked things which it is so convenient to denounce, and it was furnished. The founders thus had on their hands forty-four beds and two private rooms for which charge would be made. It seemed a terrible undertaking for the president, who was also the rector of a large parish, and for the little band of trustees and directors whom he had by this time welded fast to the cause of the hospital; but they did not flinch. They prayed, they worked, and the new enterprise grew daily in the minds of their fellow-citizens. There came then an awful disaster upon that city. It was nearly laid in ashes, and so many were injured that all the beds of the hospital were taxed to their utmost capacity. All over the land, church people, knowing that the ordinary sources of the hospital income would now be cut off, sent money for its support. It was able to complete many deficiencies in its equipment. It was able to pay \$8,000 for the lot on which it stood. By its good administration and quiet usefulness it earned for itself so good a name that the Relief and Aid Society of the city made it large donations of land and money. Then the endowment of beds commenced. The Churchman newspaper kindly raised \$3,000 for one, a devoted churchwoman collected \$3,000 for another, and an utter stranger to every one in the hospital left \$4,000 in his will to found another. People commenced now to support beds, giving \$300 a year for that purpose. Common sense showed them that it was a far better way of keeping green the memory of some dear child or other relative than by putting up an ugly stone in a graveyard. Each year the public grew more

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So much for the story of the foundation. It may be well to give some particulars about the management, the rules, the sources of income, etc. There is a board of twelve trustees, who are elected on St. Luke's day by the rectors and vestries of the different parishes in the city, and by all subscribers during the year of \$25. This board has for visitor the bishop of the diocese, and for president a city rector. The president practically manages the hospital, being of course responsible to the trustees. He is very greatly assisted by a board of directors (ladies), representing all the parishes in the city, who meet once a month, and have been invaluable in the collection of money, and exciting interest in their various parishes. The medical board is appointed by the trustees, and gives its services very generously and freely.

There are generally about eighty patients in the house. There is a chaplain, who has under his care the religious work of the hospital, the care of the library, etc. There is a dispensary, open every day free, where some four thousand people in a year are relieved. There is no distinction of color. Black patients are very often to be found there. There is no distinction of religion. The Jew and the Romanist lie side by side. The former is not required to eat pork, nor the latter to give up his scapular. A Romish priest is always sent for when a Romanist patient wants him. All others are generally content with the services of the hospital chaplain, who, it is needless to say, does everything in his power, both by private and public ministration, to help the souls of those whose bodies are under care. There is very little red tape. If there is room, and a patient presents himself who is sick and poor, he is taken in. There is generally an equal number of women and men, and between eleven and twelve hundred are now cared for in a year as in patients.

The invested trust funds of the hospital amount to about \$100,000, and it owns land worth \$50,000, and there is no debt on the building and the land which it occupies. It gets an income from the investments of about \$3,800 a year. It carns some \$14,000 from private patients. Several large railways send all their injured to us, and pay from them, and are very thankful besides. It had twenty-six beds supported this year by payment of \$300 each. In each parish on Advent Sunday, appointed by the bishop as Hospital Sunday, a collection is taken up. A good deal of money is obtained by getting people to pledge on cards so much a month, and having it every month collected by volunteers. People not churchmen contribute largely.

Such is a plain narrative of the founding of a hospital. Surely it is no herculean work from which any parish need shrink. All done here has been done by people who had their ordinary business, and attended to it well. Nothing has happened that would not ordinarily follow work and prayer. It has had no large legacies. It has met with the usual difficulties. It is hoped that this statement will induce more churches to undertake such work. There could not be a more glorious mission. If we believe that God hears prayer, and that He blesses earnest work, let us give freely those two things, and we will be sure to see the result. The next ten years ought to make this hospital one of the grandest institutions in our church. The following reports show the work for the past year:

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The Trustees are gratified to be able to state that this year, the Hospital, under their charge has done more work than ever before, without any increase of force, and with very little more expense. Last year we cared for \$17 in patients; this year for 1,050. Our Dispensary patients last year numbered 2,360 against 3,080 this year. They are sorry to say that their indebtedness is not removed. They have no funded debt, but a floating one, for arrears on the expense account. Last year it was \$22,000, now it is \$20,000, but a decrease of only \$2,000 in the year is not encouraging. We had hoped that it would all have been wiped out. Free hospitals are very apt to have deficiencies, unless endowed. Indeed it is the rule, and ours is no exception. If it were not for the money we earn from pay patients, and for which we are often severely blamed, we would not be able to go No one must think, however, that we ever permit the taking of pay-patients to overslaugh our free work. This can be shown in a moment. The free patients for the year, out of the total of 1,050, were 611; the pay and part pay, 430. The friends of the Hospital ought to note this, and to spread the knowledge of it, for we meet everywhere the utterly false idea, that we do not take free patients any more. We take as many as we can, and certainly fulfill all our obligations in that way, and we will take more if the public will give us the money to do it. Our Endowment Fund has received generous additions during the year. Mr. Conrad Seipp left us \$13,000, which his family immediately paid. The Johnston family endowed a bed for \$5,000, and Mrs. Hanks, a niece of the Johnstons, endowed also a bed for \$5,000. We are expecting every day the endowment of another bed by Mrs. Fabians, a sister of Mr. Johnston, and one by Mrs. George II. Latlin. We are also awaiting the payment of three legacies: The John Crerar, \$25,000; the H. J. Palmer, \$15,000, and the John L. Peck, \$4,000. All this will make very substantial additions to our Endowment Fund. The report of the Treasurer shows its present condition.

The Johnston Building has been completed, and is a splendid addition to our Hospital, built at a small cost—for \$50,000 seems but small in comparison with what we have obtained for it. In May the President undertook to obtain the money to furnish it. He made an appeal in the papers, and in ten days the sum of \$4,600 was pledged. This will furnish the whole building, with the exception of one small ward of three beds. Some one reading this might volunteer to undertake that. We have opened the top story of this building for gynaecological patients, who can pay. The opening of the other wards will depend upon the rapidity with which people contribute to pay our \$20,000 floating debt. When that is paid we will venture on the new building.

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We have also, at considerable expense, made large additions to the Training School, rendered necessary by the Johnston addition. The opening of that will oblige us to employ about eighteen additional nurses, and room had to be made for them. The furnishing of these rooms was also kindly provided, principally by Mrs. E. 11. Stickney. The public often forget that we are carrying on, under one roof, two great institutions—a Hospital and a Training School—both expensive things. That ought to be considered when our expense account is thought to be too large.

The thorough cleaning, painting and putting in order, of the new and the old Hospital, make a large item in the expenses of the year. Nothing of the kind having been done during the building, it has been now accomplished, with the exception of the amphitheatre and a few other places which need it badly enough.

The Superintendent's report will show other repairs and improvements. The work has gone on smoothly; although we are much tried by the unreasonableness of people who get angry and find fault, because they bring patients and they can not be taken, every bed being full. Are we, as we have said before, able to make eighty beds hold ninety people; or can we, because there are empty beds in a female ward, put men in these? But it seems useless to say this; people will not be convinced that we could not work these miracles if we wished to do so.

We find it hard to do good, but we are not discouraged, and pursue our work with the determination to make the best use we can of this splendid trust, which is placed in our hands for the purpose of aiding the sick and poor.

We return our sincere thanks to the Medical Board, and to all others who have aided us in our work, with money or goods, and we ask for generous contributions for the year to come.

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#### REPORT OF RESIDENT CHAPLAIN.

FROM OCTOBER 1, 1889, TO OCTOBER 1, 1890

ST. LUKE'S DAY, CHICAGO, October 18, 1890.

To the President and Board of Trustees St. Luke's Hospital, Chicago.

GENTLEMEN:

The Rev. John A. Carr, who served thirteen months as Resident Chaplain, gave up the hospital work for parish duty in Wisconsin, June 28, 1890.

The Rev. Dr. Fayette Royce, of Wisconsin, filled the vacancy the four weeks following.

On my election by the Board of Trustees, I took up my residence in the Hospital, assuming the regular duty of Chaplain on Sunday, August 17. I make out the present report from the record kept by the Rev. Mr. Carr, covering the Hospital year October 1, 1889, to October 1, 1890, including the services of the Rev. Dr. Royce and myself.

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism has been administered fifty-seven times:

Adults, 3..... Infants, 54..... Total, 57.

The rite of Holy Matrimony has been solemnized once.

The Burial Office has been said six times.

During the Lenten season special services were held in the chapel in the evening, five times a week.

I say prayers daily in the chapel at 7:15 x, m., and in the three main wards in the evening.

I celebrate the Holy Eucharist every Thursday morning at 8, and also on every holy day at 6:50. I observe the eve of each holy day by holding a service of prayer and praise in the chapel at 8 P.M.

My order of divine service, on Sunday is as follows:

Holy Communion, 6:50 A. M.; Morning Prayer, 9:00 A. M.; Evening Prayer, 4:00 P. M.

I visit the wards and the private rooms whenever it is found expedient and agreeable to the patients to see the Chaplain, to administer the Holy Communion, to say the Commendatory Prayers, and to comfort and cheer the sick and convalescents.

I find that the chapel, the altar furniture and the linen are kept in exquisite order by the nurses, who very generously take the time necessary for this labor from their few moments of leisure. I also find that the altar and chancel are constantly beautified by floral offerings which come from the nurses and their personal friends.

At the various chapel services a special feature is the excellent music in chant and hymn forms. This is due to the fact that, in the Training School, we are fortunate in having several good musicians, and also to the efforts of the school in singing the said forms.

At the Sunday afternoon service Miss Lillian Hibbard kindly plays the organ, and we often have visiting members of Grace Church Choir who render delightful aid.

The attendance at all the services is remarkable, and much interest is apparent in them.

I have charge of the library, and can testify to the pleasure and the good the reading matter contained therein does the Hospital.

Percival McIntire, Resident Chaplain.

#### SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 1, 1890.

The number of patients remaining in Hospital October, 1890, was 70 The number of patients admitted during year	050	
Fotal number discharged:	v.	
Cured	60	4
Improved		
Unchanged	10	ī
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Total discharged		

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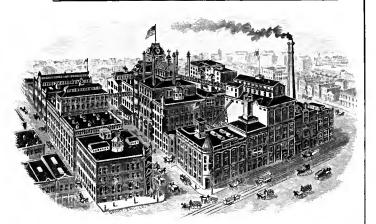
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The	following were the number	of cases	treated in the	Dispensary free of	charge to applicant.
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Surgical	
Medical	
Gynaecological	
Eye and Ear	
Total	3080
RESUME.	
Patients treated in the Hospital	1050
Patients treated in the Hospital	3080

ROBERT TILLEY, M. D.

Secretary Medical Board.

Chicago, October 15, 1890.

#### THE JOHNSTON MEMORIAL FURNISHING FUND.

The following subscriptions were made to furnish The Johnston Memorial, nearly all of which have been received by the Treasurer:

Mrs. William G. Hibbard, for "Adaline Van Schaack Bed," in nurses' quarters\$ 100	00
Mr. F. F. Spencer, for "Rachel Spencer Bed," in nurses' quarters	00
Mrs. Sophia L. Woods, of Ladies' Society, Pullman, Ill	00
Mrs. K. M. Roys, for "Morehouse Room"	00
Mr. Wm. A. Fuller, for "Genevra Fuller Bed"	00
Drs. E. C. Dudley and T. J. Watkins, to furnish one room	00
Mrs. Elizabeth 11. Stickney, to furnish rooms in the nurses' quarters	00
Mr. Henry H. Getty, to furnish the Women's Ward	00
Miss Cornelia McAvoy, to furnish room in nurses' quarters	54
W. J. Fabian, for the Johnston Heirs, to furnish special ward for men 175	00
Lydia G. Hibbard, for furnishing the Men's Ward	00
C. N. Fay, to furnish two rooms 250	00
N. K. Fairbank, to furnish two rooms	00
Mrs. S. Thayer, to furnish special ward for women	00
Miss Julia Larned, to furnish the Larned room	00
Mrs. J. J. Borland, to furnish the Caroline O. Blair room	00
	00
Total subscriptions	

The estimates made to complete the furnishing of the Johnston Memorial, exclusive of the Children's Ward, amounted to \$4,775. The Children's Ward will be furnished by Miss Pullman. The furniture and beds for the wards have been ordered, and will be in place very soon.

Committees from Trinity, Grace and Woodlawn Churches, have met each Thursday, since June, in the Hospital, to sew and make the sheets, prepare the linen, etc., required. To thank each one separately, or name the ladies who have done so much good work, would require a full page. They have saved a large sum of money by their self-sacrificing labors.

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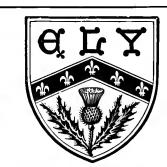
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I have the honor to present you with the following statistics relating to the increased work in your Hospital during the past year:

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The total number discharged was:	t,050
Died, 8 per cent	
Total	
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Division of work:	,
Dental	
	water (
Admissions:	
Males	Entirely free of charge 611
Females 577	Fixed pay and part pay 439
Births 75	Total,1,050
Total	10tat1,050
	56½ per cent 14,246
Days of Hospital care devoted to pay and part	pay patients 13/2 per cent 10,935

This shows an increase over last year of 1,181 days. Last year the number of admissions was 749; this year 980; an increase of 231, the total number being the largest in the history of the Hospital. More care has been exercised in the admissions than formerly, the worthy poor being admitted as charity patients upon a proper representation of their condition; your charity is thus better guarded from constantly attempted imposition.

From the 439 patients who paid your fixed charges, or rates they were able to pay, the earnings for board were \$14,195.55, an increase of \$5,016.19 over last year, while the balance, 611, were treated free from any expense.

The largest number admitted in a month was 100; while the smallest was 59.

The largest number treated at one time was 82; the smallest number 57; the average daily number 69. The capacity of the Hospital has just been increased from 84 to 100 beds, by the furnishing and opening of the Gynecological Department of the Johnston Memorial. The average duration of treatment of all patients was 24 days.

The average cost of each patient, with all fixed improvements, repairs, purchase of new engine and complete new laundry, painting, etc., etc., was \$1.87 per diem; without repairs and improvements, \$1.65 per diem. With this cost is included the furnishing and maintenance of our large



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dispensary, and the increased supplies required in the drug-room, located in the lower floor of the Johnston Memorial. The average cost per patient, per diem, for subsistence, 58 cents; average cost per inmate, per diem, 30 cents. The average total cost of each patient has been about \$44.90.

The admissions from our own church were 154; Roman Catholic, 283; fifteen other religious bodies, 723; while 173 persons admitted made no religious profession. 134 trades, professions, or positions in life are represented in the total admissions, 170 having no means of support or avocation.

About 550 applicants were refused admission for want of room or because of the chronic or incurable nature of their disease. Many of this number were sent to other hospitals, or treated at our dispensary.

From the deaths should be deducted 28 cases brought to us in a dying condition, reducing the death rate to .055 per cent.

All emergency cases are promptly received when sent, and given the best of care. Our thanks are due the City Police Patrol and Ambulance Service in making prompt response to our calls when required in removal of patients.

House Officers	
Medical and Surgical Staff	
Average number of attendants 55	
Average number of patients	
Total daily average	131

Last year the total number of dispensary cases was 2,360; this year 3,080; an increase of 720. The new quarters were furnished and opened about June 1, last. The work was divided as follows:

Surgical	 	 	 			 	 				 					. 1	,239
Medical	 	 	 		 	 			 	 							661
Gynacological	 	 	 			 	 		 ٠	 							725
Eye and Ear	 	 	 	٠.	 	 				 				٠.	٠		455
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This shows an average daily attendance of nearly ten, the average of the first seven months being very much less than this, owing to the limited quarters used for the work.

The increase in our per diem cost is accounted for in many ways: The general advance in price of all kinds of food and provisions, the large increase in work done, the thorough painting and cleaning of nearly the entire Hospital, gradual enlargement of the Training School, in preparation of the opening of the Johnston Memorial, increased insurance, increase in the number of employes, increase in salaries where increased work has been required, the renewal of laundry and engine, and many expenses incurred in the general preparation for the occupancy of the new building. Fire hose has been supplied to reach from the source of supply to the most remote points on each floor. In case of fire, six streams of 2-inch hose, and as many extinguishers, are in readiness for instant use. A stand-pipe and fire-escape on the front of the building, a fire-escape from the nurses' new quarters, a new shed has been erected to house the screens, storm-doors, etc., and many other improvements have been made to place our property in a first-class condition. After a careful revision I am convinced that, if the causes for the increase in maintenance, expenses and improvements, were not taken into consideration, your per diem for the year just past would be less than that of last year.

Herewith find several statistical exhibits, also comparative statement of maintenance account. The amount of bills outstanding at this date, and due the Hospital, amounts to \$2,528.05. I want to place on record my appreciation of the cordial co-operation of the Medical Board, the Resident Staff, the Housekeeper, the Chaplain, the Druggist, the Superintendent of the Training School and her assistant, and all who have done so much good work—often self-sacrificing work—to enable you, Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Board of Trustees, to present such splendid results of your stewardship.

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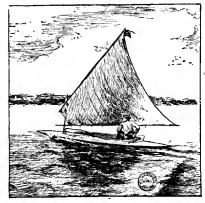
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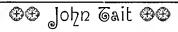
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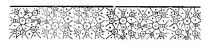
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	RI	CELE	T S								1889		1890		Increase	Decrease
														-		1
Churches											\$1.924	66	\$ 6,217	38	\$4.292 7	2
Support of I	Beds										5.989				2,970 8	3
Individuals											8,106				2,333 8	2
Board of Pa	tients										9.175					0
Interest .											2.849					9
Training Scl	hool										1,756					7
Clinic Ticke	ts										325					0
Box - Hospi	tal Entran	ce .									- 31					
Material Sol											126					5
Total	ls									. 4	30.584	38	\$45,300	33	\$14.736 9	8 \$21 03
	DISBU	RSI"	I E N	Т	s						1889		1890		Increase	Decrease
Wages and I	Incidentals					٠		٠		. 5	13.172					9
Household											2.308		2,862			7
Food							٠	٠			12.935					8
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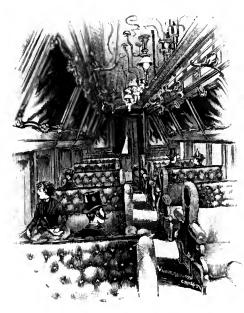
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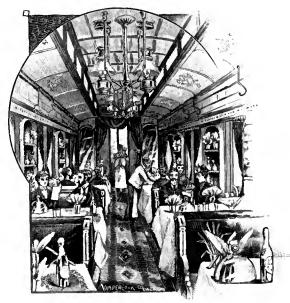
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#### RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS OF PATIENTS ADMITTED DURING THE YEAR

Baptist .																		36
Congregationalis	٠t																	24
Episcopalian															-			154
Hebrew .		•						•		•		•				٠		2
Lutheran	'	•	•		•		•		•		•				•		•	138
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Housekeepers										٠						٠		6
Laundresses									•									9
Laborers .																		51
Machinists																	٠	5
Merchants																		4
Messenger boys																		4
Nurses .																		15
Painters																		7
Plumbers .																		4
Servants																		114
Switchmen	-		•															20
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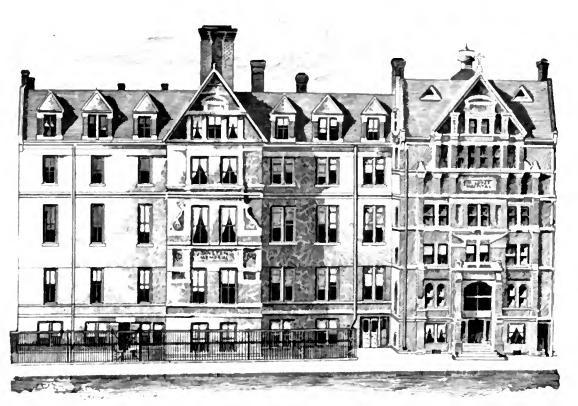
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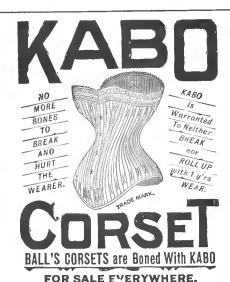
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- THE MINNIE MEMORIAL FOR CHILDREN.—In the memory of the first child who died in the Hospital, Minnie Blinckion. The money was collected by Mrs. A. Douthitt.
- THE BED FOR INCURABLES. This endowment was collected by Miss Olive Lay.
- THE SEWING WOMAN'S BED.—The money for this was collected by Mrs. N. K. Fairbank.
- THE COT FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN.—This endowment was collected by Mrs. Abram Williams.
- THE BALDWIN BED.—This was endowed by Mrs. M. C. Baldwin, of Lowell, Mass., in memory of her husband, and was the first bed endowed in St. Luke's.
- THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL BED.—This bed was endowed by the Illinois Central Railroad Company, for the benefit of its workingmen, by the payment of \$6,000.
- THE MARGARET STEARNS HARRISON BED FOR INCURABLES. Endowed by Hon. Carter Harrison, in memory of his wife, who died April 30, 1887.
- The Peck Bebs —These are three beds for women. Endowed by the payment of \$15,000 left for the purpose, by Mrs. Clarissa C. Peck, of Chicago, who died December 22, 1884.
- THE HEVDOCK BED.—In memory of Dr. M. O. Heydock, for many years a faithful physician in the Hospital, who died April 17, 1881. Endowed by a legacy from Mrs. Helen H. DeKoven, who died March 24, 1886.
- THE ARMOUR BED. Endowed by Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Armour in 1888 by the payment of \$5,000.
- The Hamilton Bed. Endowed by Mr. I. K. Hamilton, in memory of his wife October 11, 1888, by the payment of \$5,000.
- THE LARNED BED. Endowed by family of E. C. Larned, January, 1886.
- THE CAROLINE O. BLAIR BED.—Endowed by C. T. Blair, by payment of \$5,000, March 1, 1889.
- The Johnston Bed.—Endowed by the Johnston family by the payment of \$5,000.
- THE HANKS BED.—Endowed by C. B. S. Hanks by the payment of \$5,000.
- THE WILLIAM C. SEIPP BED. Endowed by the Seipp family by payment of \$13,000.

#### CORRECTION.

In writing our Donation lists for our annual report, we inadvertantly omitted the name of "The Sisters of Bethany" of Grace Church, Chicago. Their secretary, Mrs. Carrie G. Anisworth, furnishes the following report: "From November 6, 1889, to April 2, 1890, the "Sisters of Bethany" of Grace Church have made, furnished and delivered to St. Luke's Hospital 648 garments, at a cost amounting to \$187.79."

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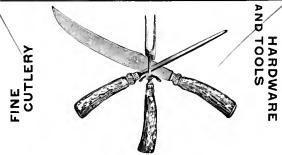
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NAME OF BED. BY WHOM SUPPORTED,		WHEN.
NAME OF BED. BY WHOM SUPPORTED, W. B. Ogden Mrs. W. F. Whitehouse		. June 17
Louise Mrs. Ira Holmes		October 13
E. S. Stickney Mrs. E. S. Stickney		
Ellen G. Ryerson Estate of Joseph Turner Ryerson .		
Mary McVicker Booth Mrs. J. H. McVicker		
Geo. Plant Locke Grace Church		
Thomas Burrows Mrs. Thomas Burrows		
Graham Fairbank Mrs. N. K. Fairbank		
Margaret Fisher J. K. Fisher		
Anna J. Hubbard E. K. Hubbard		
J. B. Rice Mrs. George L. Dunlap		
Genevra Fuller William C. Fuller		October 30
Mrs. E. H. Sheldon E. B. Sheldon		
Helen H. DeKoven John DeKoven		
Hibbard Mrs. W. G. Hibbard		
Webster George H. Webster		
Field Mrs. Marshall Field		
Trinity Church Trinity Church		
St. Clement's St. Clement's Church		•
St. Luke's St. Luke's Aid Society (Grace Churc		
St. Mark's St. Mark's Church		
Scudder Miss Scudder		
Sisters of Bethany Young women of Grace Church		
DeKoven Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen		
St. Andrew's Brotherhood, Chicago		
Stevenson Mrs. C. II. Duck (for three years).	•	, Janua 1

#### WAYS IN WHICH THE READERS OF THE REPORT CAN HELP THE HOSPITAL.

- I. You can support a bed by paying \$300 a year in quarterly installments.
- II. You can subscribe a certain sum monthly on the cards distributed in your church on Hospital Sunday, or to be procured from the Directress in your parish, who will collect your subscription.
- III. You can, among your acquaintances, collect funds and forward them to the treasurer, N. K. Fairbank, No. 60 Wabash avenue.
- IV. You can organize Hospital Aid Societies in your church and among the children of your Sunday-school; by work or by subscription, obtain a large amount.
- V. You can send jellies, fruits and delicacies from your table, or canned fruit, clothes, linen rags: in short, anything that is useful in a house.
- VI. If you live in the country you can beg from farmers potatoes, butter, eggs, and vegetables of all kinds.
- VII. When you make your will you can do as other kind people have done before you, remember the Hospital by some bequest.
- VIII. You can speak a good word for the Hospital when you are among strangers, and you can pray for it.
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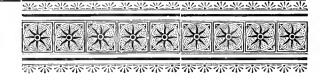
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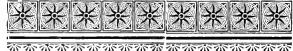
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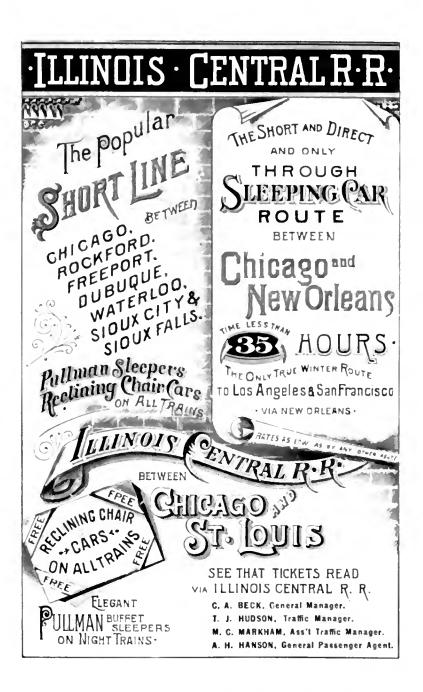
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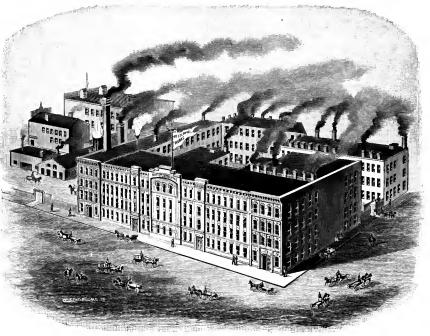
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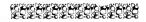
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